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London, March 1. lathe House of Commons, replying to, Lord H. Cavendish-Bentinck, the Hon. W.G.A. Ormsby-Gore, Under-Secretary for the To-day is Ladies' Day, and the Colonies, updertook to ask the Governor of Hongkong to report on fair sex have not been behind - Winner 3750. Second \$250. the number of houses of ill-fame there; how many were set saids for previous such occasions in their Third \$150. For Subscription Grif- between second and third. the, exclusive use of Europeans and Asiatics respectively; and display of pretty frocks. They fine of this Season 1929-1923. One whether those for Europeans were only allowed to be opened at a must have offered up thanks to specified distance from those used by Asiatics.

ARMIES OF OCCUPATION.

The American Expenditure.

Paris, March L. Mr. Wadsworth, the assistant secretary of the American Treasury, has arrived in Paris to discuss with Allied experts, the day's attractions, and the crowd question of the cost of the American army of occupation. The experses of all the armies of occupation have been recovered by the Allies generally from Germany, but the methed of occupying the United States has hitherto not been settled. The Petit Parisien says that if the surges ion is true that Mr. Wadsworth may be au borised to accept deliveries in kird, especially chemicals and dyes, an equitable agreement can hardly be refused as the needs of the U-fied Statescan ensity be satisfied by the Allies, who contro' the German factories.

Another point likely to entail thoray discussions is the suggestion now made in the French press that the occupation of the Ruhr was a sanction imposed by the Allies, and therefore Germany is under obligation to pay the additional expenses involved.

ALLEGED BIRTH CONTROL LIBEL.

London, March 1.

Dr. Marie Stopes sued the London Doctor Salliday Sutherland and his publisher, Harding More, for alleged libel in Dr. Suther land's book "Birth Control," which, referring to her birth control clinic it. London, expressed surprise that the Home Secretary tole. rated a " monstrous campaign of experimenting on the poor," and declared that Charles Bradlaugh had been imprisoned for a less

The jury yesterday found the words defamatory, but true in ambatance and fact, though not fair comment, and awarded a hundred ! pounds sterling damages. The Lord Chief Justice, after hearing the legal arguments, to-day said that as the jury had found the wordtrue in substance and fact it was impossible for him to depart from the ordinary rule; therefore he gave judgment for the defendant, ceremony in the grandstand. The with c als, but granted a stay of execution in view of an appeal His Lord-hip said that nobody denied the ability and sincerity and bonesty of purpose of the plaintiff, but there was no evidence of illwill on the part of the defendants.

AMERICA'S NEWCASTLE CONSULATE.

London, March 1. The Foreign Office has received a United States note stating the latter's intention not to reopen its consulate at Newcastle, which was closed owing to the alleged activities of the consul as a steamship agent. It appears that Britain offered to withdraw the charges against the consul and vice-consul, without prejudice, provided the consplate be reopened. The American Government, however. consider that a thorough investigation has shown conclusively that the charges are maubstantiated, and have demanded exoperation of the officials. Britain has refused, hence the American decision. Theripate is curious, because both sides are within their lega rights and international law is not involved.

COTTON GROWING PROBLEMS.

London, March L. Sir Milton Sharp, chairman of the Bradford Dyers' Association. at their meeting said there were signs of a danger of a shortage in the American cottos growing, and suggested a committee of experts to investigate the questions of extending cotton growing in the Empire. and finding a suitable substitute, which would enable the production of cloth at a cost within the reach of millions in the Far East, to whom the present cost of British cotton cloths is entirely prohibitive.

INDIA'S EUDGET.

Delhi, March I. Sir Basil Blackett, the finance member, has presented the budget in the Logislative Assembly. The deficit in last year's budget is 17/2 erofer, owing to the heavy decrease of railway ear inca. The expenditure in 1923 1924 is estimated at 204 decimal 37 crores. including 62 cross for the stmy. The latter is a reduction of 534 \$15 Tievets: -97, 497, 11, 641, crores compared with last year. A defict of four crores 25 lakhs will be covered by an increase in the sait tax.

TO RESTRICT OPIUM PRODUCTION.

Washington, March 1. The Senate has adopted a resolution, already passed by the Sir Paul's White Star Dahlia House of Representatives, to negotiate with foreign nations for a reduction of production of opium and its, derivatives.

POLAND AND RUSSIA.

Warsaw, March I. Preliminary negotiations have been opened at Moscow for a Pari-mutuel:-Winner, \$10.60-Polish-Russian commercial treaty.

A WORLD'S RUNNING RECORD.

New York, March L Willie Ritols beat Joie Ray in a three mile run in 14 minutes 15 45 seconds, a world's record.

(Continued on Page 7.)

RACING. TO-DAY'S

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FRIDAY,

FINE WEATHER FOR LADIES' DAY.

ROMAN REPUBLIC WINS THE CHAMPIONS.

the Clerk of the Weather when the day broke sunny and werm. It certainly was rather rough luck on the ladies the first day hat their delightful toilettes had to be hidden under heavy coats, and even yesterday there was a somewhat chilly wind, but nobody could rail against to day's weather conditions. The Ladies' Purse and Champion Stakes are the third attending to-day was quite as large and enthusiastic as on Derby Day. Sir Paul Chater is again to be congratulated on his ponies' successes. With three more wi s

vesterday, including the Derby, his stable had nine wins, six -- cond places, and five third places in two days. Mesers. Vida and will increased the total of their winning mounts to six apiece. It was m stly a favourites' day, but King Johnnie paid his backers \$61 20. The Dablias certainly seem in a class by thems lives, and whenever one of the "star" jockeys rode a horse from Sir Paul's stable the dividends dwirdled appreciably.

The band of the 2nd. Battalion King's Regiment was in atten-

His Excellency the Governor and Lady Stuble were again present, arriving in time for the fourth race-the Ladies' Purse. This event was won by Mr. H. Sassoon's Roman Pride, sidden by Mr. Gilson, and at the conclusion of the race there was the usual presentation purse was handed to the winning jockey, amid cheers, by Miss Leveson, and, in a brief speech of thanks," Mr. Gibson said he was very proud indeed to have been the winner of the purse, though he was lucky. He then handed a beautiful bouquet to Miss Leveson, whom he escorted

to tiffin amid at plantse. After the presentation of the Ladies' Purse. Sir Paul Crater was handed, by His Excellency the Governor (Sir Edward Stubbs) the Governor's Cup, won yester-

day by Sportsman Dahlia. 1.--THE GRAND STAND STAKES .- Winner \$600. Second \$50. Third \$100. For China Ponice bonn fide Griffins on date of entry. Three quarters of a Mile. Sir Paul's Valiant Dablia (Vida) Mesers. Stephen and Stitt's

John Keats (Croksm) H. Sassoon's Roman Standard (Gibson) There were 11 starters

Won by a length, two lengths between second and third. Time:-1 min. 32 1/5 sec. Pari-mutuel:-Winner, \$6.10. Piaces:-\$6 00; \$37.70; \$15.69.

Canh Sweep: Ticket No: 157 1st. \$1.111 60 160 2nd. \$317 60 378 3rd. \$158 80 \$25 Tickets and Com-

262, 245, 158, 493 STAKES.-Winner 8000. Second ter.

\$200. Third \$100. One Mile and a quarter. SirPaul'a Honesty Dahlia (Vida) Messrs, Stephen & Stitt's Wild

Thyme (Crokam) There were five starters. Won by many lengths, one length between second and third. Time: -2 min. 38 secs.

Places:-\$7.30; \$15.70. Cash Sweep: Ticket No. 403 1st. \$1,513.40 631 Znd. \$432.40

\$25 Tickets and Com-\$603 00 mission

\$25 Tickets :- 360, 50.

3.—THE HONGKONG STAKES.

Sir Paul's Diadem Dahlia (Vida) Mr. Ferdadud's Royal O.k (Remedion) Mesers. Dyor & Beith's Gallowgate (Hill)

There there four starters Won by many lengths, three lengths retween second and third. \$25 Tickets:-1131, 938, 1214. Time :- 3 min. 28 2/5 secs. Pari-mutuel :- Winner. \$6.70. Places :- \$5 30; \$5 90.

Cash Sweep: \$15 Ticke: and Commission

\$3,185 00 \$25 Tickets:-442.

PURSE -1.-THE LADIES" Presented. \$1.0 added for Winner. Second 8200. Third 3100. Once

Mr. H. Sassoon's Roman Pride (Gibenn) Sir Paul's Sceptic Dahlia (Mailler) Ferdadud's Royal Conquetor (Dalgarpo)

There were seven starters. between second and third. Time :- 1 min. 53.3, secr. Pari-mutuel :-- Winner. \$4? 60.

Cash Swe-p: Ticket No. 115 1st \$2,135 40 296 2nd. \$610 40 j 137 3rd. \$305.20 \$25 Tickets and Commission

\$25 Tickets:-769, 102, 472, 672. \$100 Tickets:-3971, 2710, 4163, .5.-THE AMERICAN CUP.-Presented by American Citizens for the first time, Roman Pride resident in Hongkong, with \$100 was leading, with Peerlees Can Morgan Train Down? From his own experience and added for Winner. Second 2200. Dahlia, Rialto Star and Empire Third \$100. For China Ponies bone Dahlia following in the order fide Griffins on date of entry. Once given, Invincible King bringing

\$3,940.00

H. Sassoon's Roman Victory (Hill) Lady Chater's Penguin (Vida) Mesars Stephen & Btitt's

There were ten starters. length, half a length separating Star made a spurt at the incline second and third. Time:-1 min. 56 secs.

Pari-mutuel:-Winner, \$8.90. Places:-\$7.00; \$7.80; \$15.00. Cash Sweep:-

\$21 Tickets and Commission

\$25 Tickets: -259, 1127; 427, 514, thus winning on his first appea-737, 864, 42.

.-THE PHAETHON STAKES. 8200. Third \$100. For China Pon-\$'.235 00 ics that have run at any Gymkhana ES.-Winner 2000. See ad \$200. Meeting and Griffins on date of Third 8:00. For China Ponis that entry. Non-starters at this meet-2.-THE GREAT SOUTHERN ing barred. One Mile and a quar-

> Sir Paul's Ideal (Moller) Mr. Dynasty's King Henry (Dalgarno) Mestre. Leitch & Morerieff's Aviamore (Doyle)

There were nine starters. Won by two lengths, half a length between second and third. and third. Time: -2 min. 39.4/5 sees. Pari-mutuel :- Winner, \$16.90. Places:-\$7 60; \$6 30; \$14.80. Cash Sweep:

Ticket No. 995 1st. 43 574.20 445 2nd. \$1,021.20 551 3rd \$510.60 357 3rd. \$216.20 | \$25 Tickets and Com-... \$1,464,00 mission

\$6,570.00 \$2,765.00 | \$25 Tickets: 616, 328, 1132, \$25 Tickets: 452, 858, 97, 627 702, 783, 160.

.-THE "RIALTO" STAKES .-Presented by the Members of the Hongkong Stock Exchange. Va'ue \$1,000 to Winner. Second to receive *2000. Third *200. For Subscription Griffins of this Season to 1922. toat One Mile.

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Sir Paul's Disdem Dahlia (Vida) Mr. John Peel's Yellow River (Zellensky) 2 Mr. Harley's Dempsey (Hill) There were six starters.

Time: 2 min. 12.2/5 secs. Pari-mutuel:-Winner, \$330. Places:-\$6.20; \$7.80; \$7.50.

Cuh Sweep:

Won by two lengths, one length

. Ticket No. 876 1.t. \$3 758 30 772 2 .d. \$1,073 80 1003 3rd. \$336 90 Places:-\$10.20; \$7 80. \$11.70. \$25 Tickets and Co.n-... \$1 436.00 mission

\$6.8 5 00 -3.-THE CHAMPION STAKES. -A Sweepstakes of \$50 each for Starters with 82 000 added for Win-Ticket No. 694 1st. \$1.766 10 ner. Second \$750. Third \$190. . 106 2nd, \$5 4 60 Winners at this Meeting only. 3:5 3rd. \$25: 33 Ponies ridden by Jockeys who have won at least 3 Official flat R ces in Hongkong and China, or Jeckey approved by the Stewards, One

> Mile and a quarter. Mr. H Sassoon's Roman Fe - public (Heard) Sir Paul's Honesty D hea Mr. Dynasty's Spotted Sand

(Dalgarno) 3 Also, ran - Empire Dallia. Moller); Rialto Star. (Daviet; Invincible Kin; (Hill); Roman Pride, (Fibson); Peerless Dahlis. (Source).

Won by a length and a hal Won by a length, two lengths half a length separation second and third. Time :- 2 min. 35.4/5 ercs. Pari-mu'nal -- Winner. \$147 .

Places - \$18.00; \$14.40; \$12.30. Places - \$7 70; \$8.80; \$10.60. Cash Sweep: Ticket No. 3061 1st \$23 214 80 748 2nd. \$6 632.80 (1484 3rd \$3,31o 49.

\$100 Tickets and Commission \$42,080 00

3968, 3652. A good start. Passing the post up the rear. Passing the football stand. Honesty Dahlia wen s'rongly to the front, displacing Roman Pride, with 2 Risko Star retaining third position. Spotted Sand had come Semple Pite (Crokem) 3 up into fourth place. Empire Dablia was fifth, Invincible Won by three-quarters of a King still being last. Rialto going up into second place followed closely by Spotted Sand, with Roman Republic making ground very rapidly. Daylight was showing between all the Ticket No. 475 1st. \$3,721 20 first four ponies Into the straight, 460 2nd. \$1.063.40 Hill on Invincible King made a pion. 1019 3rd. \$531.70 big effort. Honesty Dahlis was still leading, but at the distance ... \$1,548 39 post Roman Republic came up very strongly and won a fine \$6 865 00 | race by a length and a half, Hearn rance at the Rices. H nest Dahlia was second and Spotted Sand

9.—THE CONSOLATION STAKhave run and not won at this Meet. ing. One Mile.

Henry Humphrey's Speckled Mouse (Doyle) 1 Sir Paul's Sceptic Diblia (Maller) Mr. Gilpin's Western II ion

There were nine starters. Won by a length and a half half a length separating second Time:-2 min. 05 2/5 secs. Pari-mutuel:-Winner, \$1360.

Places:-\$6.90; \$8.90; .\$27.20. Cash Sweep: Ticket, No. 399 1-t. \$3,025.40 1' 32 3rd. \$432.20 1825 Tickels and Com-

mission

Mr. Dyer's Manifesto (Soares up) bolted and ran twice round the course before the start, and then dropped out.

10.—THE NIL DESPERANDUM

PIRES . O-1 TO LIA

STAKES - Winner 800. Second 2000 Third \$100 For Subscription (friffins of this Season 1922-1923 that have run and not won at this Meeting. Five Furlongs.

Mrs. Bernard's Meadow Grass (Zellensky) 1 Mr. Harley's Dempsey (Hill) 2 Mrs. Bernard's Snodgrass (Spinks) 3

There were 13 starters. Won by a neck, a length and a half between second and third. Time:-1, min. 18 1/5 secs. Pari-mutuel :--Winner, \$40.90.

Cash Sweep: Ticket No. 958 1st. \$3.045.00 the Course, to 876 3rd. \$435.00 | Birkett. \$25 Tickets and Com-

Winner \$500. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Pinies bona fide Ciriffus on date of entry that have run and not won at this Meeting admission. Fire Evelongs.

531, 948, 63, 415, 1007, 766.

Messis, Stephen and Stitt's John Kest (Crokam) 1 Mr. Dynasty's King Charlie Dalgarno) 2 Messra. Potts and Hayim's Petrol King (Hill) 3 There wer a ten starters.

Won by a length, two lengths between record and third. Time:-1 min. 16 secs. Parimutual:-Wilner, \$35.10. Places:-\$13.90; \$18 50; \$27.70.

Cush Sw-+p:-

\$25 Tickets and Come musion

1137, 193, 225, 353.

the Fleet having been away, least 75 per cent. of the large Stoker P. O. Morgan, who is number of children who visit the to meet A.B. Chadwick to-morrow Victoria and Albert building night, has not had the facil- during their school holidays ities to train down to the light behave themselves properly. weight limit, but he is now doing his best, and in any case will not be much over. As the contest is for the Lightweight Championship, Chadwick wasspproached to ascertain his viewson the subject, and he stated that he was still prepared to meet Morgan even at catchweights.

If Morgan does not get to the weight. Chadwick automatically becomes the Lightweight Cham-

DAY BY DAY.

A telegram received Handicap. Winner 8500. Second King finished fourth. lam. Zavel, manager of the Tientsin marina Trading Company, was fatally shot in an accident. Mr. Zivel, who is a Dutchman, was it out. natil very recently manager of the firm at Canton.

> To-morrow's Picture Page will 2 contain many photographs of Incal interest, including, pictores a of Dr Sun Yaten with Hongkong University students: the Page'4. Shanghai and United Services football teams; the Hongkong and Shanghai interport golffis; Page 4. the start of the Kowloon Marathon; photos of Pte. Ainsworth and A. B. Duncan, who meet to decide the middleweight championship at to-morrow's 751 2nd. 4864 40 boxing tournament; and a group of four members of the China Sugar Refinery staff (Messes. \$1.268 00 J. W. Gloyn, P Plage, J. Rodger and J. H. Underwood) whose appropriate years of service total 153 years, probably a Far Eastern



MOTOR FATALITY.

Old Woman Dies from Injuries.

This morning, a fatal motor accident (curred when car No. 587, which H. Birkett, Clerk of 5 8 2nd. \$870 00 iwas returning to fetch Mrs.

The car was only occupied ... \$1,400.00 by the chauffeur and at about 10.45 a.m. it was \$5,750.00 passing through Wanchet when it \$25 Tickets:-313 154, 554, 545, |collided with a ricksha in which an old Chinese woman was 11.-THE TIENTSIN PLATE - riding. She was thrown out and received serious injuries. She had to be removed to the Government Civil Hospital where she died shortly after

TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY.

A complaint of the behaviour of children in museums has brought to The Times the contention that mus-ums are not the places for children, with the counter-contention that museums Ticket No. 425 1st. \$3,203 90 are just the places to which 1182 2nd. \$915.40 | children fought to be welcomed. 823 3rd \$457.70 Que compractistique points out of Course \$1,363.00 not a playground; another retorts that, in a proper sense of the

word, they ought to be. Bir Cecil \$25 Tirkets -957 . 383. 1149. Harcourt Smith, Director of the Victoria and Albert Museum, expresses himself whole-heartedly on the side of the shildren, and strongly deprecates the sug-TO-MORROW'S BOXING. gestion that they are, in any general sense, a nuisance either to adult users or to the officials. perience of others who work in We are informed that, owing to the Museum, he asserts that at

News in To-day's New Advertisements.

Hongkong Amusements, Ltd., have taken over the Star Theatre. -Page 4.

Found! A sum of money at Happy Valley. Page 4. The Carter Company are giving

their last performance at the Theatre Royal to-night .- Page 4. The Hongkong Hotel Co. invite enquiries for advertising spaces on the boarding around the Peninsula Hotel site.—Page 4.

LISTEN.

Advertising is business. Think

For cinema attractions, refer to page 12.

Lost! Two rings .- Page 4. To let! Modern European flat in Kowloon, fully furnished .-

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To-Day's Exchange.

The closing rate of the dollar on demand to-day was 2s. 3.5/16d.

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C. Fincher and H. Sandtord.

C.R. C. v. University. The following will represent the t'. H. C. in a friendly match against the University on the! The Carton Committee is also Sik-to, and M. K. Lo.

COSTLY ARMS DEAL China Unable to Pay.

Shanghai, March 1 .- The Italian ammunition stored in Peking, Tientwin and Chinwangtao Island was purchased by Kao Englishing of behalf of Wu Pelifu at \$5,600,000 the Ministries of Finance and Communications counst afford to pawith the Italian Minister proposing to transfer the said ammunition to Peking for safe custedy' untiafter remarkation when the accounty will be settled - Tave War.

JAPAN AND CHINA.

Sharkhan, March in Regard the above attended the Ste Japan treaty of 1015 and the restoration of Port Article and Divien, our one has subschied a place to the Central Conserment as follows : The first thing to be there is to regognize Stoket Russia for a duli of the question of Mongolia and the Chinese Eastern Railway 50 as not to all ow the Russo Japanes. Commercial Treaty to be conclude in advance thus securing sequent dismination in South Manchuria The above plan may reduce th inficulties of relations between

> BANQUE INDUS-TRIELLE.

The Agreement Queried.

Peking, March 1 .- The headquarters of the United Chambers, petition asking the Government for more details of the agreement concerning the re-opening of the Ban-

COTTON EXPORT LAW.

Shanghai, March 1 .- The Diplomatic Corps has communicated with the Ministry of Foreign distance from the main Stadium. Affairs requesting withdrawal of the Cotton Export prohibition .-Tenn Wan Yat Pc.

... NATIONAL LIVELIHUOD.

Shanghai, March I. The State Department has circularized a tele. gram convening a National Liveli Lord Conference in April mest, Tane Wan Yat Po.

FAR EASTERN OLYMPIAD.

South China Planning Big Things.

Reports from Hongkong and Canton indicate that things are progressing for China's Olympic team. The Hongking Amateur Pederat the well organised and fully A. W. Grimmit, W. H. Edmonds, representative, is pushing whead with plans, for a full Far Eastern pregram, conducting training and conching groups in bothall, traskets bali, volleyball, baseball, swimming, tennis and track and field.

latter's ground on Saturday, com-lactice and going ahead in its plans mencing at 2.15 pm -Ng Sie- along similar lines in spite of the kwong, H. Ching, G. Lee, M. W. [political difficulties These two Lo. C. Choa, H. C. Hung, W. groups plen to send a full Hung, Y. K. Shi, J. M. Tan, Wong I delegation North for the final tryequally anvaded between the two groups It looks as though they would give the other sections of China a real tu sle for the priviledge of representing China in Japan Sailing dates have been

tentatively fixed. and the remainder is now due. As then the Schools not glosed have ships in bassetball, football, and they have requested the Ministry voll-yball. The fourth annual of Foreign Affairs to communicate cross country race was also belwith a good number taking part.

For the past three months regular monthly cross country mice has been conducted for College and Meldle Seb of teams at Shanzhai. From 50 to tel to like men have started each time. Nanyang Coll. ege wan the Inter collegiate Champropship in factball and is hoping to try and with Hongkong and other places for a chance to reprecontinue A Charse baskethall englie of seven testos bas been geing story all wints an! the winner wants to try out in these sport.

A Provincial Athletic" Meet was conduct-lat Warbase with some guer different athlete- taking pert. The local Committee plans to corre in wir. till the Spring when a Sectional tryons is contemplated. A Hunan Provincial Meet was anducted at Chibasha. There is

spinorettly some good material in The Local Committee in Treatsin e entrying on a regular program of activities as suggested by the China and Japan Time Wen Yat lentral Executive They have

comme windering to separate ith ter. The Stations in Oraka was to ne emploited by March first. Al indications are that it will be the linest field on which the Far Eastern tiames have so far been . 11. The running truck is circular with a 220 yds. straightway. The stands are of concrete and will sear of Commerce have forwarded a armit people. Offices, dressing rooms and restaurants will be found underneath. The swirm

ming pool will be in one corner of que industrielle de Chine and the enclosure but out-ile of the stating that the Government ought track. It will be made smaller for Indge, and Mr. H. G. Simms not to allow the Bank to open the Far Eastern races as was the Chairman of the Municipal Council until public opinion has expressed pool in Shanghai. The total length approval of the agreement will be 50 yards. Fresh water. Temporary Stands.

Two tennis routte now in the enclosure with two additional ones near by, will serve the tennis players. There courts will not be

Baseball will be played a short Football, collegiall and basket. ball will be inside the truck. that not get been decided whether the hasketball court will be

wanden or dirt floor.

INSTEAD OF THE DCG. In attempting to shoot a dog in killed.

COL MARR JOHNSON.

Tremendous Send-off At Snanghai.

Hundreds of people, as many civilians as Volunteers, gave Col. R. Marr Johnson, "c.M.d., res.te. the retiring Commandant of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps, at evation on the Customs Jetty, Shanghai, on the 21th Feb. when We embarked for Home.

As the lender put off there were cries of "Speech! speech!" "No. can't," smiled back the popular Colonel at the huge crowd. A'minate later volleys of cheers mingled with a dia from exploding crackers following the vessel until it passed Pootung Point.

There have been few warmer cours in Shanghai. In all they plan demonstrations at the well known to bring North so athletes about spot where so many popular foreign personalities have their coming and going. Volunteers and others swarmed the pontoons and lighters in the vicinity. Drawn up on the foreshore was a guard of honour, composed of ten other ranks from Word comes from Foochow that the Engineer Co., "A" and "E" political deficulties for a time British, Customs, American, Shangupset their plans. The city meet hat Scottish and the British lawhich was planned for last Novem- linery Reserves, respectively; and odd Only 200,000 has been paid her had to be abandoned but since 20 men each from the Portuguese, Japanese and Chinese Companies. carried on successfully champion. The Guard of Honour Officer was Capr. A. M. Diniz, and the subalterris Lt. L. M. the Beytagh and 2 Lt. E. L. McCloskey.

Col Marr Johnson was conveyed to the jetty in an open carriage drawn by one of the F. A. Battery gun teams, the barouche being escurated by a detachment of Light Horse, with outriders. Several Officers, including Major R. W. Day is commanding the Field Artilbory Battery, rade with the carringe. An armoured car also form ed part of the procession.

As the cavalendo wheeled on to The Band the guard came smartly the attention and presented armon the Colonel stopping out of the eneriage. He shook hands with number of the escort; raising h hat to the rest and then made his List inspection of members of the Corps who formed the guard honour. On the jetty there were more cordial handshaking, with the officers of the Corps and

other friends. His going on board the tends: was the signal for a din of explod ing fireworks reminiscent of a distant hombing attack. The Chiacompany had bargeloads of crack ers ready to let off. These bure all around the vessel, amidst crie. of good-bye and Bon Voyage, the familiar message inscribed or banner suspended from a mar in the sampan anchorage. The everyone sang "Goodbyee" air "He's a Jolly Good Fellow." Amonthose who said iarewell to Col Marr Johnson on the jetty wer Sir Skinner Turner, JL M. Chie'

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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

MAURICE BANDMAN'S AFFAIRS.

London, March 1. The affairs of H. M. Bandman, the well-known theatrical impresario in the East, were mentioned in the Marylebone County Court when his widow was sued by Whiteleys' for about £30 for

goods sold. The question was whether she was left sufficient money after Mr. Bandman's death, having regard to his position. A witness representing his executors said he left £36,000. His income during his life was about £3,000 annually. He bequeathed a fourth of his estate to his lady secretalry and the remainder to his three children and surse, and nothing to the wife from whom he had been living'

Defendant said her husband allowed her £1.000 a year before they separated. She spent 2200 a year on dress when her busband was alive.

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SOUTH AFRICA AND ASIATICS.

Capetown, March 1. The Appellate Division of the Supreme Court, by a majority of 3 to 2, has confirmed the regulation of the Minister of the Interior, dated 1913, classing all Asiatics as prohibited immigrants under the Immigrants Restriction Act.

Sir William Solomon in delivering the majority judgment adhered to the view that Asiatics as a class were unsuited on economic grounds to the requirements of South Africa. He did not think the Minister was actuated by racial motives.

. The minority held that notice was ultra vires as the basis of classification was too wide.

THE LATE SHIP SUBSIDY BILL.

Washington, March 1. The decease of the Ship Subsidy Bill just a year after it was born leaves the administration, where it was a year ago in dealing wih the \$3,000,000,000 investment on wartime built ships. The task of liquiduidating this investment through the sale of ships, etc., os hand has been the subject of lengthy study. Plans therefor will be announced shortly, after Congress'adjourns.

AMERICAN ARMY OF THE RHENET

Paris, March 1.

In connection with to-day's conference relative to the costs of .. the American army of the Rhine, Lo Journal states that the United States has presented a bill for \$255,000,000.

OBITUARY

London, March 1.

The death is announced of Lord Weardale.

Paris, March 1. A message from Angora states that M. Araloff, the Soviet reprecentative, has died suddenly.

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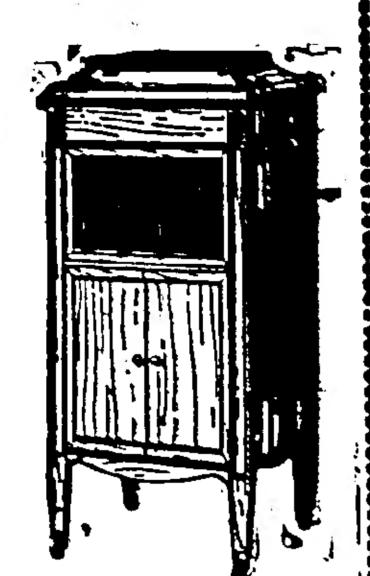
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ally omes to an end. A large gathering of Chinese and friends of the firm assembled on the girl Feb. Mr. John Johnstone. the general manager, presided and. after extending a fordial welcome

in all, stated the idea of the Corperation was developed by Mr. Aveyard shortly after he joined the firm during the war period and Mr. Johnstone felt great pleasure is seeing it materialise. Mr. John stone hoped that at some date in the not far distant future the Corporation would develop into a concern in which its Chinese friends would have a large share not only as dimeholders but also as directors. as the concern is primarily intended, to develop Chinese undertaking-

and the formation of this Corpora tion was the outcome of views which he was pleased to say were held by all partners of Jardine, Matheson

and Co., Ltd. In conclusion Mr. Johnstone im pressed upon the staff the necessity of barning Chinese, for in dealing with the Chinese and matters Chi nese they were brought more closely in touch with the natives of the country than most of their Seni rand they, would have very much greater success if they acquired a knowledge of the language. I this connection, he congratulated Mr. Laurence wire, he heard, had just passed his final examination in

Chinese with honeurs. Mr. Sidney Barton! C.M G., H.M. Consul General and Mr. E. P. Fang. vice chairman of the General Chamber of Commerce of Shanghai.

also stocke. At the conclusion of the speeches. Mr. Barton proposed the teast of 'Long life and prosperity" to the new corporation and this having been done, refreshments were par-

SUMMER DRINKS.

Sarsaparilla and

Lemonade. To hearing of Mesers Caldbeck had seen their recipes but had had for the benefit of the Chinese thera- Macgregor's action against a former nothing to do with making them up selves. It, might be asked why employee, Mr. R. B. Wood, was com- He had not used or divulzed plain Jardine, Matheson and Co., Ltd., cluded at H. M. Supreme Court, liffs' secret recipes, although of as a firm, had allowed one of list week, before Sir Skinner course he remembered a good deal their departments to be absorbed furner, Chief Judge. Defendant, about them generally. in an undertaking of this nature. who was formerly assistant manager In cross-examination by Mr but the explanation was very simple. in plaintiffs' mineral water factory, Reader Harris, witness said he So long as their operations in en- it their employ and afterwards would not like to say there was any gineering were restricted it was entered the service of Watson's difference between the lemonades possible for those responsible for Mineral Water Co., and plaintiffs manufactured by plaintiffs and by the management of Jardine, Mathe- now sought to enforce the terms of Watsons, each according to their son and Co., Ltd. to arrange mat. | n agreement restraining/defendant own recipes. The two firms had no ters so that Engineering contracts from engaging, in any capacity, in recipes exactly the same, but very and the financing thereof did not hisiness of this character "in China, similar. interfere with their ordinary busi- Hongkong, Japan, Singapore and Counsel on either side further ness. It was clearly seen, how- the Straits Settlements" for a addressed his Lordship on legal eres, that a large development of period of 10 years. Alternatively, aspects of the case, and judgment the Engineering business was in damages to the amount of \$20,000 was reserved. evitable and to avoid consequent were claimed, on the ground that, loss of personal touch the new con- luring his term of service with cern had been floated. Mr. John- plaintiffs, defendant gained a know. Caraso, Elman, Kreisler, Melbe, Pachmann stone's personal opinion for several ledge of secret recipes and might years past had been that Chinese 'e them in the trade to the detrico-operation was to be simed at ment of plaintiffs.

Defendant was called, and in mawer to Mr. Macleud, stated that he was a married man with four children, and 30 years of age. He had been with plaintiffs for nine rears, at first without an agree. ment. His duties were to boil sugar, add essences to the cold yrups, see that the water was clear. before bettling, see that gas was properly made, keep an eye on tocks, weigh coal, keep the premises clean, answer the telephone, write up the day book, a diary of events, keep a wages books, a stock et, also manufactured stock book. supervise the packing and shipping of outport cargo, supervise the unpacking of empty bottles, in winter me take down distilling machiner; for examination, repair if necessary. and re-erect, supervise coolies, and generally carry out the orders of in manager. In an average work. ing day, his business with the recipes occupied two hours. He ad very little to do with the firm's ustomers. The recipes of plaintiffwere slightly different from those which were published, and included hree proprietary waters: Aquarius; Sanus and Fosierado, but the great est output was of lemonade and sarsaparailla, to meet Chinese demand in the summer. Whilst engaged with Watson's Mineral Water Co. as manager of the business, he

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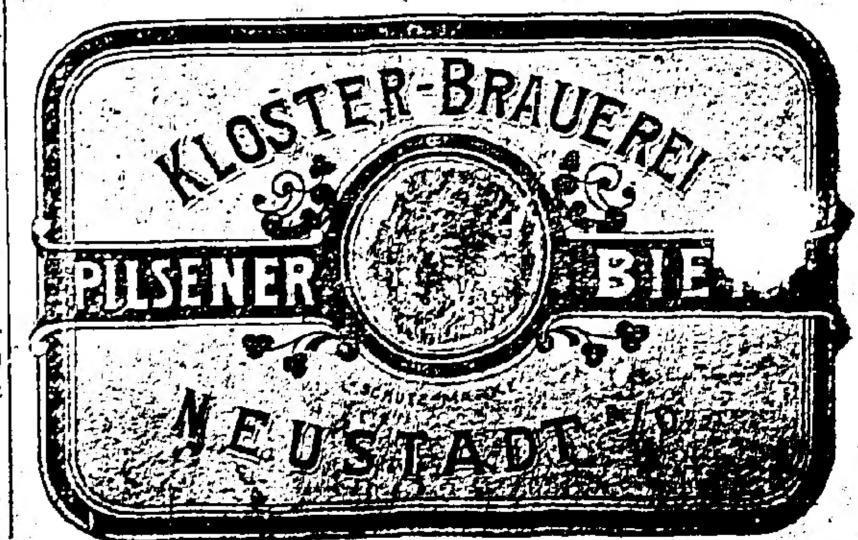
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN the Gate. that the Stock Exchance will be Closed on Wednesday 28th Thursday 1st March, Friday 2nd March and Saturdap 3rd March. By order of the Committee,

P. TESTER. Secretary.

Hongkong, 26th. February, 1923.

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Life Boat. Dingies, Whalers, is in the top class, and I shall the 5th March, 1923, at 11 a.m., at Oars, Cells and Electrical Fittings, not send him any more. Electric Cable, Cooking Stoves, Ships' Fittings, Iron Beds, Mattresses and Fittings, Life Raits, Clusive argument, he is engaged Superheaters, Deutz Meters with Life Belts, Carpets, Rugs, Mats, to be married when he is 16." Dynamos, Hand Steering Gears and Table Covers. Blankets, Canvas, In an interview, Berrieloth said Wheel, Oil Fuel Heaters, Oil Fuel Leather and Metallic Hoses, Old his boy was courting a girl who Filters, Bearings and Shafts with Cordage, Canvas Bigs, Old India- was about his own age, and had Driving Wheels, Propellers, Fumi- rubber, Old Leather, Old Woollan attended the same school, and Rags, Old Asbestos, Old Cork, Old Was getting married in two years' Iron and Steel, Old Brass, Copper, time. Wood and Gun Metal Blocks, consent, he said. Certainly: Wire Rope, Oil Chain Cable, Drill- and have had three wives." ing and Grinding Machines, Pin- Berricloth expressed his disgust nace and Cutter Engines. Tables, at the law in attempting to compel Chairs, Stools, Binnacles, Com- him to send his boy to school after passes, Clocks, Davits, Iron Drums, he was 14. Wooden Cases, Fold-up Lavatories,

> A quantity of Structural Steelwork, comprising Stanchions, be a man in two years." Beams, Struts, Gutters, etc., and sundry other Steelwork, and a large a family of eight. Mrs. Berricloth quantity of Fire Bar Iron.

the 5th March, 1923. Also sale of Old and Surplus Victualling Stores have his own way. at Kowloon on Friday, 9th March. Comprising:

try or pigs food, Remnants of own business. Serge, Flannel, etc., Bedding, Clothing, Mess Gear, including Electro-Plate. Terms of Sale:-As detailed in

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Hongkong, 20th Feb., 1923. ANIMAL ORCHESTRA.

Country' Life on Gramophoge. She says that in America After two months of patient women police arrest young girls training and daily auditions, the who appear, at a public dance first "animal orchestra" ever put without a chaperone.

accomplished. composer and conductor, is the a large public dancing hall in organiser of the "orchestra," London. which is represented by a dozen "Why shouldn't agirl go to a birds and animals, each of which dance unchaperoned?" he asked. has its special part in the con- "She may go to a threatre or to a

A kind of symphony entitled that women do go alone to amuse-'Morning" is the result, beginning ments in London shows that they with the crow of the farmyard have confidence that places of roosterand ending with the tinkle entertainment are properly conof the sheep bell as the flocks are ducted and that they will not be d iven off to the hills and fields. annoyed.

waiting in front of the recording ing balls as to any other place of instrument," Mr. Hylton said, amusament. The supervision we waiting for each animal or bird exercise here is strict, and any to give its contribution. The girl coming here alone may enjoy Hongkang, 28th. February, 1723 constart begins it, and as a musical herself without being annoyed.

could get both the cock" and the lish's done." N exchange for the postage caged blackbird to make their An English business man who vocal efforts at the same time. lived for some years in America "Then, interwoven to a certain said : "Mrs. Van Winkle should rhythm, you hear all the other make it clear wh ther she is musical sounds of the dawn and speaking of the Middle West or of the growing morning. Few people New York. To compare London realise what music there is in the to a little American village would

> "It sounds ludicrous to include favour of London. the lowing of a cow in the "I have seen girls of 13 and 14 concerto, but blended with certain leaving public dances in New higher notes of birds and a nimal. York unchaperoned at 3 o'clock' the lowing is heard as a good in the morning." bass, and makes unexpected barmony."

HALE AT 108.

Claim to Australian Record Mr. Thomas Thomson, who was born at Northampton 1091/2 years ago, and is now living at Ballarat, Australia, has issued a challenge to the rest of the Commonwealth to produce an older

He is in good health, and every Sunday walks half a mile to church. At a recent mayoral reception

he climbed the stairs as well as aman of 70. In 1920 he was presented will be charged at the rate of 1/2 | to the Prince of Wales, to whom be remarked: I was a lively "Telegraph" Football Competition young fellow of 23 when your great grandmother was crowned

Queen.

BOY OF 14 ENGAGED.

Wed in Two Years.

Married at 16 himself. John Berneloth, fruitere: of Eastbourne, is a strong advocate for the marriage of his 14-year-old son William when he also reaches

Berricloth's opinions were very strongly expressed to Eastbourne magistrates when he was aummoned for failing to send the boy

to school. " My boy has reached 14 years of age, and I will not send him to school for you or anybody else, so you can make what order you like," he told the magistrates.

"He has a good education, and "Why," he added as a con-

Lead and Gun Metal, Coal Sacks, Asked if he had given his Lamps, Gauges, Steel Tubes, Steel why not? I was married at 16.

"I was am asterman at that age,"

and carts, and did a real good hawker's business. My boy will The boy is the second child of holds opposite views to her hus-Lots may be inspected on Monday, band, and does not approve of an early match, but sup-

hesaid, and had thresorfour ponies

posed that in the end he would It is the boy's desire to be an engineer or a sailor, but his father Condemned Provisions for poul- would like him to take up his

UNCHAPERONED GIRLS.

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on to a gramophone has been A Daily Chronicle representative discussed Mrs. Van Winkle's Mr. Jack Hylton, the popular accusations with the manager of

picture-house alone. The fact

"The work entailed hours of "This applies as much to dance ackground one hears faintly in Anyone guilty of indecorous bethe distance the singing of an haviour would be immediately early blackbird. For this opening requested to leave, but such I had to wait two days, until I thing never happens. It simply

morning sounds of the country be about. Compare it with New One can blend them wonderfully York and the comparison is in

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MR. POCOCK LEAVES THE "200."

The Animals in Air Raids.

The announcement of the retirement in March of Mr. R. I-Pocock, F.R.S., from the post of animals indifferent. Superintendent of the London Zoological Gardens will be heard with regret by the many persons whose business has taken them to Regent's Park during the last twenty years. Mr. Pocock is a mine of knowledge and interest on all matters relating to animals, and with never-failing courtesy was always ready to give information to those who went to see him about one or, other of his numerous wild charges. He is a recognised authority on spiders, o scorpions, and centinedes, etc., and his knowledge of mammals is so extensive that he was able to lidentify any animal, however Trare, that was brought to the dens which have had special in-

may be said to be inherited, for brought over four years ago as his grandfather on his mother's an experiment. Two more have side was Dr. J. C.Princhard, who been sequired since. This ani- .. was the most emment ethnologist mal, he explained, may prove of of his day. In his boyhood Mr. great commercial importance, on Pocock's home was at Clifton, account of its flerce of wool, and and his favourite recreation was the Canadian Government have to stroll along the banks of the a scheme for domesticating it, so Avon, collecting the skulls of any as to make up for the shortage of animals washed ashore, and in wool since the war. The animal the summer time he would tramp is a native of Arctic America. for miles along the sandy coast Another interesting arrival was a in search of similar prizes for his takin, a relative of the musk-ox. museum. It was his early taste from the Himalayas, which died for natural history which sent during the war, but another one him, in 1885, to the Natural His- has just been procured. tory Museum at South Kensing-! Mr Pocock confessed to disapton, where his chief zoological pointment that so far the Gardens work was on arachnids and my- had been unable to procure an riapods, which he has studied okapi, an ancestor of the giraffe. with conspicuous success. When an animal both difficult to pro-Mr. Pocock took up the post of cure and to keep in captivity. It superintendent at the Zoological lives in the dense forests of the Gardens in 1904, one of the chief Congo with the Pigmies, and considerations that influenced although a specimen was caphim was his great interest in tured and conveyed to Antwerp. living animals, from the study of it did not survive. which he was naturally preclud- Although Mr. ed at South Kensington.

THE OPEN AIR TREATMENT. During the twenty years of his superintendence, the Royal Delogical Society has devoloped the famous collection in many ways. One of the most important changes was the system of keeping animals in the open, and doing away with the hot tropical houses as much as possible; so that they had plenty of fresh air and exer-Ulcise. In fact, the Zoological O Gardens were the first to start this open air treatment for l animals, although the cradit has been usually accorded to herr Hagenbeek, who introduced it later to Hamburg.

The beautiful Mappin Terraces have also been constructed in sleep soundly at night throughout Mr. Pocock's time, and he has re- the length and breadth of America, mained to see the fulfilment of knowing that with Baby's Own his ambition in the provision of Tablets in the house their little an aquarium which, when it is ones are safeguarded in case of opened in the course of next year, sudden sickness. will be the largest aquarium for Writes one of these American Mappin Terraces.

18 terprising orang-utan, which got without them for anything." 13 on to the roof of its house and sat Every careful parent will insist 3 escaped.

DURING THE WAR. was asked more than once, what druggists, or post at 60 cents per would happen if bombs fell on the vial direct from Dr. Williams' Zoological Gardens and released Medicine Co., 60 Kiangee Road, some of the animals? As a mat Shanghai.

ter of fact there were apparently no less concerned living creatures in London during an air raid than the denizens of the Zoo. The dropping of bombs close to the Gardens, and the fiercest antiaircraft bombardment left the

Animals are not frightened by noise," explained Mr. Poccok to a representative of the 0bsereer. "They do not mind thunder. They are much more fraid of a quiet, stealthy noise, which means to them a beast of prey creeping towards them. A loud bing they don't mind in the least." The only special precaution taken against the air raids was boarding up the snakes. "For the rest," said the Superintendent, we had to true: to luck and be ready to act according to circumstances."

SOME RARITIES. Among the arrivals at the Garterest for Mr. Pocock were the Mr. Pocock's love for science two musk-oxen which were

Pocock is retiring, he means to work as lactively as ever, and to devote himself to the study of zoological particularly the research, structure and classification of mammals. He will continue his contributions to the Field, and hopes to make some important additions to his publications on the subjects he has made specially his own.

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25 there all night, while the superin- that medicine given to children tendent and the keepers kept should be absolutely pure, rafe, vigil below in order to prevent his gentle and free from narcotic escaping. In the morning they drugs. Baby's Own Tablets exclimbed to the roof, and with actly answer this description ... some well directed shots from a They quickly reduce fever, dis-Minimax fire extinguisher in- pel colic and constipation, check duced the animal to bolt through diarrhoes, relieve croup, allay 11 the window from which he had teething pains, cure indigestion. expel worms, quiet the nerves and bring restful, health-giving sleep During the war, the question in a perfectly natural way. Of

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monopolising the thoughts of The chaos in the country grew so dancers contributed special items spurs, the whole being surmount- insouciance of the age. "Where most of us, these are scarcely the rapidly worse after the Armistice and came in for a great ovation ed with a Guillaume Tell kinds of is fled the visionary gleam? days, perhaps, when newspaper sternative but a breakdown of readers are likely to give over. readers are likely to give over- all semblance of orderly govern-Year without serious industrial be purchased was at a ridiculous- self out. interruption, though what possible ly high price. grounds there could be for a general strike here we cannot see. In Shanghai, apparently, matters had been amanged to come to a head by to-day, but agitators to pause rather than

ce-sful strike. If the Bolsheviks can win propaganda carried out in China. country will soon be reaping have scored a great moral victory denominations, to the where the mischief-makers have besides securing a distinct value of six million dollars, bandling ten companies in India pealing play of the age;" Amsown. If so, it will be a case of triumph. Would that many other have been printed and they will sowing the wind and reaping the be as quickly and successfully of their issue have been decided whirlwind. If ever Bolshevism tackled! But perhaps the success upon. gets a hold in China, it will mean in the case of Austria is merely chaos and tragedy.

Bolshevik bogey in China. But ing the peace of the whole bandment of troops and the of mystery plays, which is still will be announced later. scarce a day passes that does world.

in their views and in this connection we cannot overlook the fact that Sun's new Civil Governor has as his private secre-

not warrant our view that things

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port from the labour element.

A League Success.

agitator, Tse Ying-pak.

the much-maligned League of Nations has achieved one notable success—by placing Austria's to the tourists. finances on a sound basis. This means that the League has resof absolute national bankruptcy. fancy dress dance at the Repulse with gold braid, and across his and out." At the second reading later the very unwilling partner, and original, whilst the pretty rested snugly in the middle of its more helpless than ever. Need I of Germany, The Allies realised decorations, the lavish supply of owner's back. That he ever remind you of the metamorphosis well enough who were the prime confetti, squeakers and streamers, carried letters in it I do not she has undergone since meeting movers in that mad bid for power together with the excellent play- imagine for a moment. His nice her on that occasion! To-day With the racing spirit still down as lightly as they could mense enjoyment. Two Russian black, shiny Hessians with silver ness of mien replaced by the unbearable difficulties. Their after the start, commenced

Hope of Improvement.

There is a joke current about a London merchant who sent a former Austrian clerk of his a five the drastic preventive measures pound note as a Christmas-box. taken by the Chinese authorities and received a letter which, after appear to have caused the thanking the donor profusely, mentioned that the money had been changed into the local currisk loss of face over an unsuc- rency and the clerk had bought a house out of the proceeds! However much that story might be military leaders which aims at the League of Nations, with attempting to introduce Com- a loan proposition as its \$200,000 be paid for removal night—and many's the time in going to bed a pleasant hardship. suggested remedy. Fortunate-expenses. Dr. Sun's representamunist rule in several provinces ly, the other nations have tives have promised to lay the of China. Our correspondent combined to assist Austria, and conditions before their chief. categorically asserts that the subscriptions to the loan have labour leaders are negotiating observers must have doubted tween the Yunnan and Kwangsi with Moscow for the promotion whether the League could do froops in Canton. A body of the of an agitation in China during anything in the way of effecting former proceeded to Koon Yam The Courtneidge-Holloway The following will represent the spring-time. The danger a permanent improvement, so the Hill to take over the garrison from this source is even greater efforts must be all the more welthan from the coquetting with come to those who hope to see the that their final destination has Company maintains the standard at 4.30 p.m. on Saturday:-Wood-Sovietism by Chinese politicians. whole of Europe eventually over- not yet been decided on. As a of excellence displayed at the man; Wheeler, Knight; Morrison, on economic conditions. It has compelled to return. over Chinese workers to their become almost the fashion to It has been decided at a Calcutta ought to be outstanding. side in any considerable num-deride all efforts of the League of meeting held in the General-ly successful," so writes the bets, it will be a sorry day for Nations, and to query the wisdom issimo's office to despatch strong Statesman regarding the Com. Drury Lane success, The Garden of continuing the expenditure that forces to clear General Chan pany's opening performance there, of Allah; "Bulldog Drummond," the country. Of late, there has membership involves, but if it can King-ming's troops out of most certainly been much Soviet place Austria once more in the eastern districts of the province. position of a country able to meet all its obligations, and introduce Kwangtung provincial Treasury

DAY BY DAY.

NATURE MAKES THE MAN; MAN MAKES THE GENTLEMAN.

Chinese. We cannot in this (two Chinese and one Japanese).

which is strongly represented in Mr. Allister Macmillan. his following. We shall now F.R.G.S., who had been in Hong-

tary, the well-known Socialist He was formerly a well-known resplendent uniform, mentally raided the Doone stronghold heavyweight boxer, and later be- copied, now I come to think of it, alone and in company as many came boxing instructor to the from that worn by the alleged times more. Naval Academy and the Yale lion-tamer in Pindar's Circus When first I met Lorna (the Club, as well as one of the in- which once paid a flying visit to name has a nice, sweeting even structors of the New York Linkcumdoddie leaving behind yet) I visualised her, of course, as It is pleasing to learn that Athletic Club. He is aboard the them a mucked-up les-field, an a maiden of my own day. At this Resolute as physical instructor uppaid bill for fodder and unrest distance I can but faintly recall

cued Austria from the black abyss. The Derby Night dinner and green plush liberally bespattered petticoat, like little mice, stole in Few nations have suffered such Bay Hotel last night was a huge breast was a broad leather band she had acquired, in addition, a serious decline in credit as success, there being well over decorated with silver filigree and a pair of leg of mutton shoulders Austria has after the war, in three hundred present. Some of supporting what purported to be only to re-appear twenty years which she was the dupe, and the costumes were most striking a small despatch case which later in a hobble skirt looking and when the actual fighting ing of the jazz band, all combined white, baggy, riding breeches she's a minx, her covering but a was over they let the Austrians to make the occasion one of im- emptied themselves into a pair of meeting of extremes, her tender-

much consideration to serious ment, and free reign given to the The village of Chi Ma-yuen, in issues. But the telegram which Bolshevistic elements; in fact the New Territories, was the Austria promised only a few scene of a big blaze yesterday nightly and in which I led my four square to every wind, the type we yesterday published from our months ago to become a com- afternoon, when about twenty Shanghai correspondent dealing munistic State, eventually to be matsheds and huts were destroywith labour unrest deserves more allied to Soviet Russia, and cer- ed. The origin of the fire is unthan passing notice. Here in tainly to plunge into further known. Owing to a strong wind seas of trouble instead of rising and the dry nature of the struc-Hongkong, as in the Northern to better conditions. The tures, there were no effective port, we have heard much of late people of the country have means of dealing with the outof the possibility of a serious been labouring under almost break, and the inhabitants, soon plains of Matebeland, or aveng- and maidens bleach their summer strike interfering what the ordin- currency—the crown—became so remove all their belongings to a it mattered not. When I wasn't as ever it did that "there are no ary peaceful life of the Colony. depreciated about six months ago safe distance. The Brigade found riding through the streets of tricks in plain and simple faith." Some people think we are fortu- that it seemed to be trying to the blaze beyond their control London on a milk-white steed (I His is the sternal story of young nate in having passed the New emulate the rouble. As a con- when they arrived on the scene, sequence, everything that had to and the fire practically burnt it- it often) to receive the for everyone of us. Conrad in his

CANTON'S "INVADERS."

to Terms.

and Tam Yin-hai, has agreed to shire hamlet. That was after my too soon-before life itself."

There is apparently trouble beapparent early success of its there, but the Kwangsi men |declined to go out, on the ground| coming the effects of the late war result, the Yunnan troops were Empire Theatre last night in The McKelvie, Pasco; Clemo, Hall,

order in the land, the League will notes of \$10, \$5 and problems of the day could also be issued as soon as the conditions

tends to do in other directions, been informed by a prominent at Singapore. They will present play by John-Drinkwater; The tends to do in other directions, official that foreign bankers will London's latest comedy and Bird of Paradise," The Man from: we have been criticised in some and it the object of its formation and quarters for holding aloft the actually become a factor in keep. to the Government for the dis-

Occasionally

Robert MacWhirter. '

knowledge that he has in the the Botanic Gardens, the total adolescence. Rather would I taken by the lass who at the past depended largely for sup- fall being only 0.64-inch. speak of the dreams, described moment happened to find favour

watch with interest, and some kong for some time gathering stuff. "A pleasing land of drowsy- at a girl, yet in the land of matter for his coming book on head it was, of dreams that drowsy-head I did not hesitate to concern, his attitude to the Seaports of the Far East, is leav- wave before the half-shut eye," kiss away the tears of sorrow that labour faction in Canton for he ing for Shanghai to-morrow. He Long before I used to envisage were lurking in her dear, dark still has sumounding him certain hopes that his book will be Maggie of the auburn locks (my eyes. That sounds terribly men who are notoriously forward published towards the end of the aunt, rather unkindly I thought soft in a boy, but as in fight-

This, then, was the costume account for most of it! with which I decked myself John Ridd, however, remains

Do our youth still dream divers ways have I resound the Yesterday's health return dreams? Now, I do not want fair Lorna from the unworthy regard overlook the fact that shows three cases of small-pox you to misunderstand me in the and bloodthirsty Doones of black very first line, for I'd have you Bagworthy Forest. Of course, know that I write not of the bab- in all of these repeated exploits bling dreams which affright our I played the part of the "girt Slight rainfall was registered souls, nor yet of the bed-bound Jan Ridd," while that of the

of an idle brain, begot of Whereas at school and play I nothing but vain fantasy." would have burned with shame to As a boy I used to dream such have as much as looked sideways "roed haired bitch") I would lie brave in the dark under cover of abed o' nights, twixt wake the blankets. These Doones were and sleep and many's the hard- a bad lot, right enough, Carver An interesting personage, in fought battle I won. Naturally, especially, whom I was very Joe Murray, is one of the ship's I was foremost in the bitter against. I killed him in stati of the liner Resolute, now in picture, monarch of all I sur- fifty different ways before I was port with the American tourists. veyed, mostly always clad in a finally through with him and I

in the rustic mind. His get-up, her dress, but you may be sure as befitted his onerous task, there would be plenty of it. No was very flash, the tunic being of doubt "her feet beneath her hat and a brave yellow feather Where is now the glory [(erroneously supposed to be bird- and the dream?" And Janes of-paradise by the gentler sex). echoes "Where!" Which may

men to victory. Though born I like to think of as representative and bred in the heyday of the of excellent Englishmen. The Little Englander, mine was an days are perhaps nearly gone Imperialism by no means to be "when shepherds pipe on oaten despised according to latter-day straws, and merry larks are standards. Whether helping Sir ploughmen's clocks; when turtles Garnet Wolseley, or on the hot tread and rooks and daws to ing the death of the brave Gordon, frocks," but it holds good to-day liked that bit and used to re-enact manhood, a period alsa too short thanks and sword from a "Youth" has a fine passage grateful nation, I was most thereament: "I remember my ly always to be found saving youth and the feeling that will Linkcumdeddie from the foreign never come back any more than oppressorand turning the tide of feeling that I could last for invasion. A special Army Act ever, outlast the sea, the earth, had to be passed to permit my and all men; the deceitful feeling wearing the overflow of medals that lures us on to joys, to perils, Dr. Sun Trying to Come on the right side of my chest, so to love, to vain effort-to death; congested became the usual area: the triumphant conviction of Oh, yes, I had a fine time while strength, the heat of life in the A Canton correspondent re- it lasted. But, alas, my waking handful of dust, the glow in the ports that General Shum, Hung- dreams then began to hover heart that with every year grows ying, the Kwangsi commmander, round the parish pump and gave dim, grows cold, grows small, and after negotiations with Sun Fo way to the quietude of a Devon- expires and expires, too soon,

comply with Sun Yat-sen's first reading of "Lorns Doone." Do our youth still dream order "to remove certain of his I wonder how many of the pre- dreams? What a glorious vista The worst feature of the exaggerated, it serves to illustrate forces from the North River to sent generation have read that of drowsy-head stuff lies at the Shanghai unrest is the evidence what the conditions in the the Wes: River, on condition that fine old love story. I confess to hand of everyone of them. Give of a movement between the country were like up to only re- Samshui, Shinhing, Yungkong four times myself and the last me again youth, "Lorna Doone," cently. Into this state of almost and Lo Ting be included in the but a week ago. But that's be-wireless telephony; a Lewis gun labour organisations and certain utter chaos there boldly stepped places where his men ay be side the point. As I was saying, and an aeroplane, and I'd willingquartered and also a sum of it filled my boyhood days—at ly miss the cinema and consider

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shortly due here, commencing a from the novel by "Sapper;" "If season at the Theatre Royal on Four Walls Told," by Edward Saturday, March 10th, under the Percy; "The Faithful Beart," direction of Bandman's Eastern described by the Daily Telegraph Circuit, Ltd., which is at present as "the most beautiful and apand the Far East. The Company brose Applejohn's Adventure. will come here with a tip-top the sparkling comedy that is success throughout India and at Criterion Theatre; "Abraham The vernacular papers have present doing big business down Lincoln," the beautiful historic arranging of reunification plans. | running in America; the great! Booking will be at Monirie's.

FOOTBALL.

Kowloon in their first Division League match against H.M.S. "If the Courtneidge-Holloway Hawkins on the Kowloon ground

reputation, having met with great breaking all records at the

(Rauter's Semice.)

(Continued from Page 1.)

- Duesseldorf, March 1. The French are giving another turn to the screw to exact dues in the Ruhr from Germans by a decree seizing the proceeds of the consumption taxes on wines and smokes. It is anticipated that the had apparently hoped to profit decree will be applied to the whole occupation area, and the penalty from the general interest for non-payment will be the closing of refractory establishments. Coblance, March 2.

The Inter-Allied High Commission has issued an Ordinance in the Central part of the town declaring that in view of the default of the German railway officials this morning, but failed when an in the occupied area and because of acts of sabotage, these railways alarm was raised, and, in the will be established under the French Director Regie and subject to chase and exchange of shots that the authority of the High Commission Commander-in-Chiel.

BIG U.S. RAILWAY SCHEME.

Washington, March 1.

Mr. Holden, president of the Chicago, Burlington Quincy Railway Company, has submitted a plan to the Interstate Commerce Commission for the consolidation of all railways westward of Chicago into four great systems, each operating 30,000 miles, the lines reaching from Chicago to the Pacific coast and from the Canadian border to the Gull of Mexico.

MONEY FOR U.S. FARMERS.

Washington, March 2.

The House of . spresentatives has passed the Farm Credit's Bill. the room. Giving up the previously approved by the Sanate. The Bill contemplates the attempt as hopeless, the gang! creation of twelve Governmental Banks authorised to issue a total rushed from the room and down of \$600,000,000 in debentures; it also authorises private credits to the staircase, but one of them, corporations in order to meet the financial needs of agriculturists, who was not armed, was im-

JAPAN AND U.S. CONTROL OF PACIFIC.

Washington, March 2.

already been carried out.

CHINESE POLITICS.

An Unfounded Report.

Shanghai, March 2.—The

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Yesterday's answer:

In the Senate, the Immigration Committee, replying to arequest into the street and scatterfor restricted immigration to the Hawaiian Islands of otherwise inadmissable aliens, in order to reduce the present labour shortage, declares that American control in Hawaii and the centre Pacific is endangered by the Japanese.

IMPROVING THE U.S. NAVY.

Washington, March 2. The Sanate has ratified the Representative's Bill appropriating \$21,000,000 for the modernisation of battleships and the reimburse ment of contactors in consequence of the scrapping battleships the fugitive was hit no fewer under the Washington Agreement.

STAR THEATRE CHANGES HANDS.

Improvements to be Made.

After prolonged negotiations the Hougkong Amusements, Limited, the organisation con trolling a chain of cinemas in the Colony and Canton, has succeed ed in acquiring sole control of the Star Theatre, Kowloon. connection with which an agreement was drawn up and signed recently, giving effect to

It has been public knowledge ments at the Theatre. some months competition between this theatre to bull down the Kowloon was shot. Another officer to and the Kowloon Theatre has been of a very active character, leading to mutual losses as in the present comparatively undeveloped state of Kowloon it has been hard to find the necessary clientele to fill both shows there. houses. The Star Theatre bas no: failed from want of trying. It has been enterprising in many direcin connection with the Starl tions, has given Kowloon many Theatre tea-lounge, Mr. Ray opportunites of enjoying first-class vaudeville and musical shows, opportunity presents itself he and its most notable success, the recent engagement of the Italian resort where theatre-goers and Opera Company, brought in the public of Kowloon in general financial returns of a handsome will meet for tea and recharacter. These successes notfreshments. withstanding, the losses incurred from the exhibition of films had not been cut down to any appreciable extent, and with the competition that was being keenly conducted by the Hongkong Amusements it has at length been decided to turn over the Theatre to the

Hongkong Amusements. By the agreement, for a certain reported resignation of Liu Enrental the Hongkong Amuse- yuan, Minister of Finance, is arrived here recently she ments will have the sole control without foundation. It appears of the Star Theatre, and the that it was Ling Wen-yuan, Vice better results accruing for the Minister of Finance.- Reuter. public from the change will be seen in the improvements which the new management have decided to introduce into the theatre. The claim of the theatre to being the best playhouse in the Colony is beyond question. These comforts will be considerably added to by a decision to improve the class of pictures and the

machinery for their exhibition. The first change effected will be in the operating machines, arrangements having been made for their replacement by more upto-date equipment, of the type known as "simplex." These are five words which read the same and of the same type as used at the from left to right as from top to made for the funeral. Coronet. In conversation with Mr. bottom, with the word "Royal" were showered on all Ray, a representative of the Tele- forming the central word. Angraph "was informed that the other "different square distance of projection at the Star ["Royal" as its centre is as Theatre was an idealone -- mat- follows: ter of 65 feet as against the 125 feet distance at the Coronet, and he printed out that the change of machinery will greatly improve the projection at the Star. Another

ROBBERS IN THE CITY.

An Exciting Chase.

MAN SHOT AND CAPTURED.

A gang of armed robbers, who concentrated on the Rices, attempted a daring coup ensued, one of them was wounded. At 10.40 this morning, a rich Californian produce merchant received at his room, on an upper floor at the Kwong Oa boarding house, No 124 Connaught Road Central, several callers whose identity and purpose he was made instantly acquainted with by the production of revolvers and an order to keep quiet under the penalty of being shot. There were four of the strangers, threatening attitude, the merchant raised his voice,

the boarding house rushed into mediately seized upon by the fokis,"bound up and later handed over to the police.

with the result that the fokis of

Before this, the other members the gang had rescaped in different directions. Fortunately, two detectives were near the boarding house at the time and they followed up the man who appeared to be the leader. The latter had no hesitation in using his revolver, and, during the long chase led back in a round-about way back to the boarding house, a regular fusilade of shots took place, in which than six times. When Mak.Yiu, 4 one of the detectives, closed in with him in Hillier Street, the man much-needed improvement has had used all his rounds, but, in spite of this and his wounded The existing orchestra has condition, he put up a desperate been augmented to twelve pieces, struggle that ended only when "Paramount pictures are high-an Indian constable came!

class; there is no question about up and fired another shot into it, but some of them need cleaning his body. up," was Mr. Ray's comment; The streets, as soon as the as he pointed to two girls alarm was raised, were remarkengaged in cleaning sundry ably clear of pedestrians. pictures at his studio. "We The robber had turned into shall for a start introduce First Hillier Street from the Praya, National Pictures at the Star, run through Des Voeux Road. bringing up the future programme through Man Wo Line 2 at this Theatre to the standard and again on to the seaof the Coronet." Other plans front. Perceiving here a numunfolded by Mr. Ray should ber of other police cofficers, 2 make for the better arrangements he doubled again into Hillier

change as from the 1st of March. of the stage lights and accoutre- Street and it was here that Mak Yiu caught up with and 'secured' It is not intended, as rumoured, his man. None of the pursuers Theatre. Requests have been whom much credit is due for the received from various sporting capture is detective 160 Tsen clubs, for its continuance as a Chiu-hing.

dancing hall, and in this capacity The wounded man has it will remain as at present except | been removed to the Governthat there will be no more cinema ment Civil Hospital, an examination showing that he was Speaking of certain improve- wounded in the shoulder and on ments he has in contemplation both arms and legs.

says that as soon as the CHINESE MERCHANT'S SUICIDE. will turn it into a fluxurious

An Expensive Funeral.

One of the most expensive funerals that has taken place for some time was seen with the arrival here from. Haiphong of the French steamer Jade which had aboard the remains of a Chinese merchant who had committed suicide at sea.

When the steamer Haitan reported the loss of a rich Chinese passenger who jumped into the sea when the vessel was leaving the mouth of the Haiphong river. . He was the proprietor of the well-known firm of Dong Nam Loi, rice-millers of Haiphong. It was just after tiffin one morning as the Haitan had Write down five odd figures, left Dosun astern that he was which when added up, make seen by his son, who accompanied on the voyage, .to deliberately jump overboard. An "exhaustive search was fruitless, and the Haitan eventually continued its trip to HongdB78 Some

remains were washed ashore near preparations with respects, as is the custom most appropriate to the position with the higher class of native and wealth of the deceased's that the Shanghai and Hongkew funerals, and when the Jade left family. Haiphong last week-end she had aboard the remains enclosed in a costly coffin, for interment at Canton, which is the native place of the deceased. The Jade was

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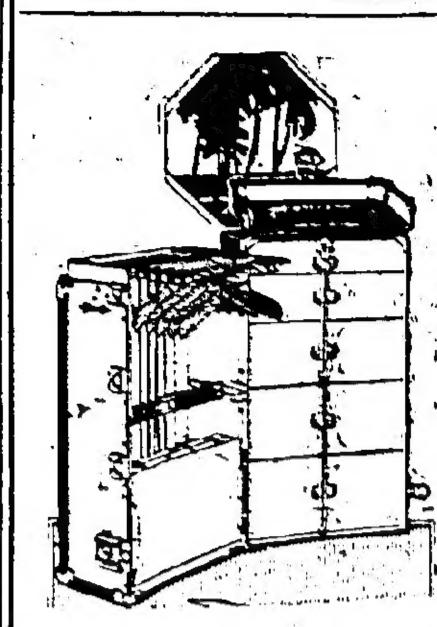
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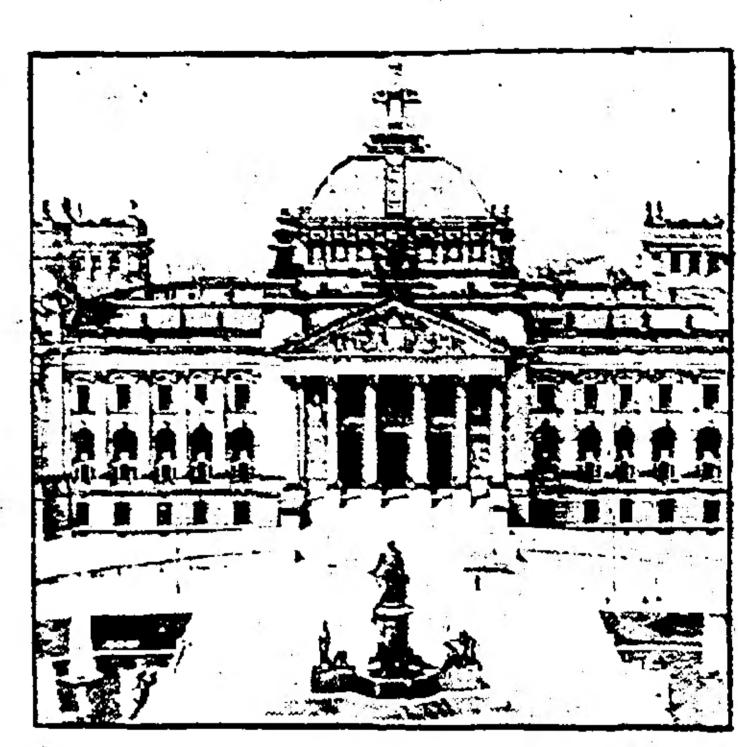
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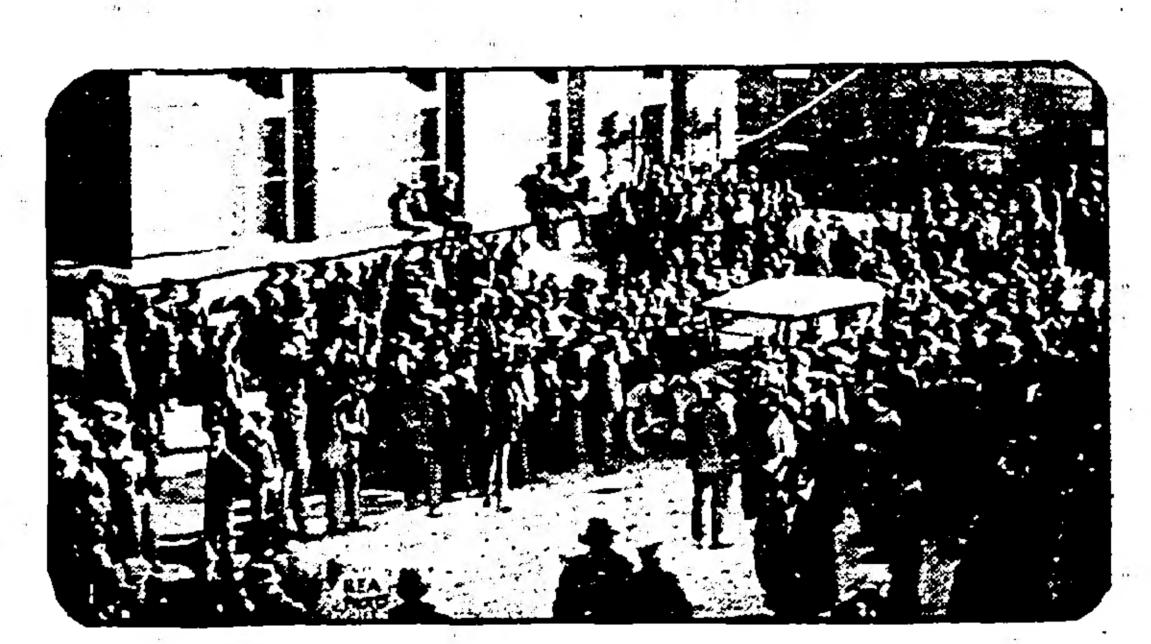
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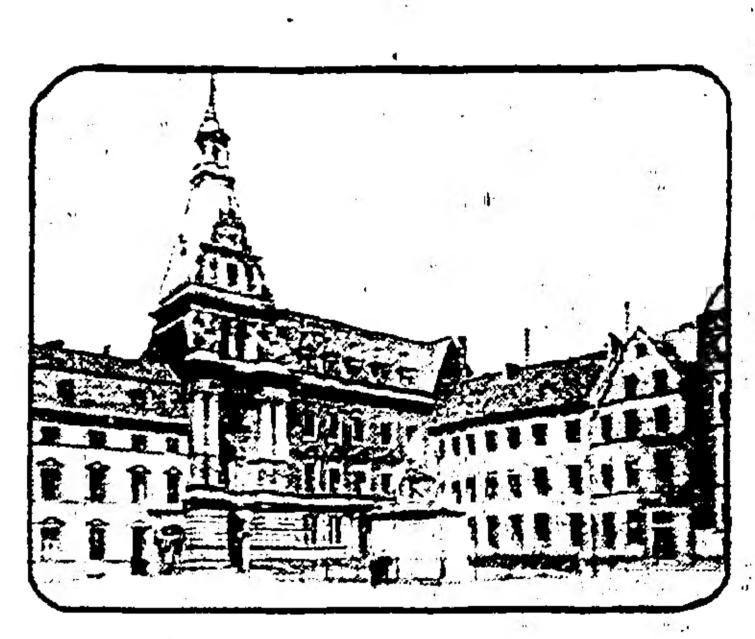
Typical troops of the Russian Soviet Republic being reviewed by Red leaders.



The public "platz" in front of the Reichstag building,



This body of armed men in front of the courthouse at Harrison. Arkansas, is part of the "citizens' committee" which rushed into Harrison from surrounding communities and performed in its own way the functions of constituted authority with the expressed purpose of ending alleged sabotage on the part of striking railway employes.



The courthouse at Dusseldorf, German city, occupied by the French since 1921. The march forward into the Ruhr district was directed from Dusseldorf.



Mr. Napoleon Hill pinning the medal on Mrs. Maud Billington Booth, of the Volunteers of America, who was awarded the Napoleon Hill Golden Rule Medal that is awarded periodically to those who have rendered conspicuous service to humanity.



"The Four Swallows," published by Hooch, is the latest best seller. Look at the picture and you'll under-



Miss Gladys Cooper, who is visiting America, some say for the purpose of marrying Mr. Ivor Novello, British film star and author of Keep the Home Fires, Burning," now acting in pictures.

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> We have not the space at our | continued on its way. disposal to comment on all the other features, but would advise | ying's troops in outlying parts everyone who has not seen the are moving down the river, and deservedly famous Carter, not to it is believed in some quarters miss the last performance, which that this may presage a conflict takes place to-night.

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In giving judgment We propose to pay a dividend Honour said he adjourned the petrol, though it did not neces-Board of Directors.-The exist- sarily follow that the plaintiff ing Board of Directors consists | had stolen it. On the ground of C M.G., Mr. J. Scott Harston and | was dismissed. His Honour Mr. H.P. White, who now retire, found in favour of defendant,

> Plaintiff was represented by Mr. C.A.S. Russ and the defence was conducted by Mr. D.H.

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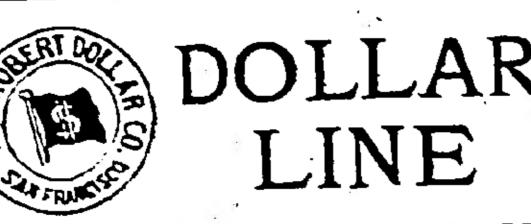
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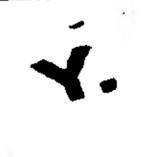
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Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon received her engagement ring from the Duke of York on January 19th -

The ring had before been sent to Buckingham Palace for the approval of the Duke and his fiancee, but it was found that alterations were necessary.

The Duke of York presented the ring at the house of the Earl of Strathmore, in Bruton-street. where he again lunched with his fiances and her parents.

The ring is a lovely piece of

jewellery. The centre jewel is a sapphire of rare blue. The flanking diamonds are smaller. The very light setting is of platinum. When it is worn the setting is lalmost entirely obscured by the

jewels. Presents were already arriving. at Buckingham Palace yester-

April is regarded as a likely month for the wedding. It is unlikely that a Royal wedding would take place in Lent, and Lent ends this year on March

Should the Duke of York and his bride settle down, as expected, at the White Lodge in Richmond Park, it is probable that the Duke would retain at least a part of his present bachelor suite

In Buckingham Palace. The Daily Chronicle understands that two daughters of the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire are likely to be among the young girls, mutual friends of the younger members of the Royal family and of Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, who will be asked to attend her as bridesmaids.

TWO VICARS ANNOYED AT A CINEMA.

Unruly Spectators Who Should Be Ejected.

Bitter complaints of the bahaviour of "certain louts" during the showing at Southport of the film "The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse" are mais by two

vicars of the towe. In letters to the local papers. these clergymen say that the conduct of a few persons was nauseating to the greater portion of the audience.

For example, "the personation of St. John the Evangelist carryling the symbol of the Christian faith was greeted with yells of Beaver, cat-calls and shrill neighing. While we must make allowances for the possibility that to neigh is probably, the natural means of communication of these people, we see no reason why decent members of society cannot take their pleasures without being disturbed by

the lower animals." It is suggested by the clergymen that some young men with a better appreciation of art should extract the offenders from their seats and pass them "out to the gutter, where they would feel more at home."

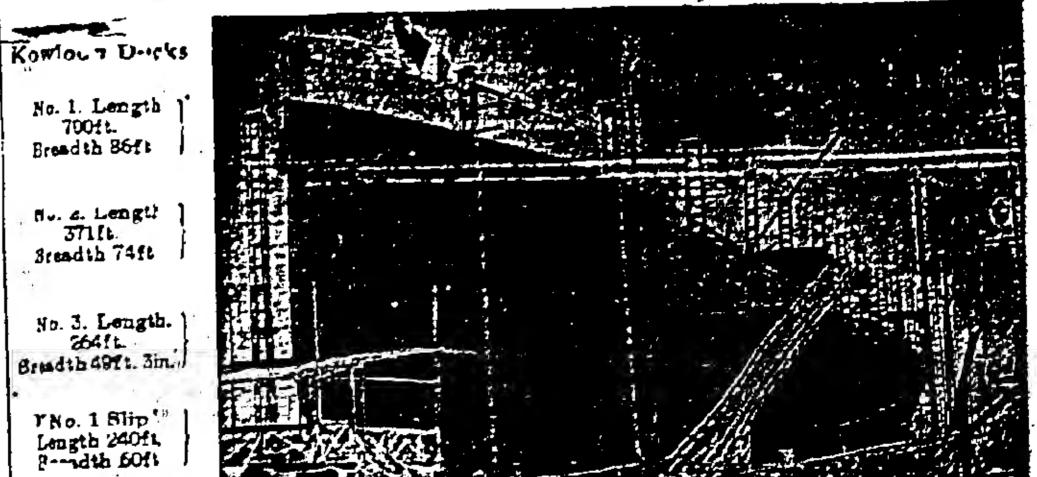
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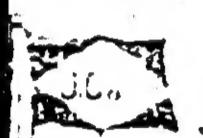
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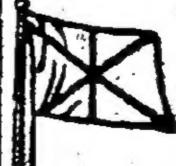
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New Caillaux Drama in a Park Office.

of here morinistaff of the Rapalist on Feb. 21 of Mr Albert Welliam newspaper "L'action Francaise," Pontius, American Consul-General was shot in his office at Milkden, Manchura, Mr. Ponthis afternoon by a woman time, who is survived by his wife, named Germaine Bertnon, a had been in ill-health for the last militant anarchist.

Gas on Calmette, editor of the recuperating. Figure, by Mms. Caillaux. ELEGANT VISITOR

busy in his office when a young student interpreter on February few seconds.

Mme. Berthon into his private ton, D.C., as assistant to the chief office. She had not been in the room for more than a couple of minutes when members of the staff heard sounds of a violent; dispute.

They were about to enter when shots rang out. Five in all are said to have been fired. Then the door opened, and Mme. Berthon volver in hand.

Altogether she fired five shots at her vi-tim. She had presumably reserved the last of her revolver for herself. She placed the weapon against her areast and pulled the trigger. The bul let inflicted a glanding would, which, it is thought, will not prove fatal.

"I HAVE DONE MY DUTY." The woman was removed to hospital, where subsequently she was interrogated by the police Sheirclain d: "Now you can say to the Anarchists that I have done my duty." She also declared that it has not been her intention to kill M. - lateau. Fiers tend-d | victim was M. Leon Daudet, but, being unable to gain access to him, she decided to assassinate

M. Piateau instead. She added that in order to accomplish her object against M. Daudet she went ye-terday to a 3 Hongkong Paris church, where the Royalists were helding a commemorative 4 South coast of service on the anniversary of the execution of Louis XVI She found, however, that M. Dauder was too well protected for her to kill him without danger to others of the congression,

BETRAYED BY FRIENDS. Later inquiries showed that on Saturday Mme. Berthon presented herself at the house of M. Leon Daudet, the deputy and political director of the "L' action Francaise," but he refused to see her the was comselled to go to the effice of the newspaper, and address herself to M. Jacques Atland, M. Dandet's secretary, or 6 to M. Plateau, of the editorial

staff. She telephoned to the office asking for an appointment, and was told to come on Salurday at 6 o'clock. She kept the appointment, and told M. Allard that she had interesting revelations to make concerning the anarchist party, by whom, she

said, she had been betrayed. Mme. Berthon further asserted that she had been in prison several times because of her Anarchist opinions, and in off-ring to make disclosures of interest to the R yalist paper, announced that she was acting thus because she wished to be revenged on those who bad abandoned her when she was in distress. She banded over a bundle of documents which purparted to be the promised revelstion, but those were discovered

to be meaningless. In the end, M. Allard and the murdered man decided that they had to do with a lunatic. The woman refused an offer of money, and left.

She returned this afternoon to the newspaper office and shot M. Plateau, as stated.

AWAITING TRIAL TWO YEARS.

Prosecution's 250 Witnesses and the Defence's 100.

A group of men'scoused of the murder in the Palace of Accursio of Bologna have been waiting since 1920 for trial, which has again been postponed in order that the officials may preside over the administrative elections, says the Daily Chronicle's Rome Correspondent.

The inurder took place on November 20, 1920, and the victim was a lawyer named Giordani. Sixteen charges have been brought against the accused, supported by 250 witnesses. The prisoners have summoned 100

Two years is a short time for egtraite & Calcutte ... persons, against whom a criminal Swatow, Amoy & Foothow charge is made, to wait for trial Sandakse by Italian law.

witnesses.

AUSTRAIIA.

Mr. A. W. Pontius.

OBITUARY.

Paris, Jan 22-Mar ua Plateau. The death took place at Mukden three months, and was compelled The crive re alls the murder of lately to travel with a view to

Born at St. Paul's, Minn., 'en August 29, 1879, the late Mr. Pon At 3 o'c.o k, M. Plateau was tius was appointed to China and elegantly dressed woman 1903. He has since served in the called, and told the office attend- Consular service at Tientain, Newant to tell M. Plateau that Mme. chwang, Hankow, Swatne, Dalny, Berthon desired to see him for a Nanking, Fouchow and Mukden, spending one year with the Division M. Plateau told the man to show of Far Eastern Affairs, Washing-

WEATHER REPORT

appeared on the threshold, re. has decreased considerably at this, it is likely that she will not Weibaiwei and slightly from Foochow to Haiphong. It has stay on the Atlantic and be replaclincreased slightly at Manila.

> The anticyclone is probably central over mid-Japan.

Moderate monsoon may be expecied over the China Sea.

Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 200 inch. Total since January .st. 1.52 inches, against sverage of 3.23 inches.

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EMPRESS OF

Probable World Cruise Next Year.

The liner Empress of Australia now in Hongkong, has been de finitely selected as the Pacific steamer that will be employed by the Canadian Pacific in cruising next winter. The company, which has five cruises under consideration altoge, her, will run its own trips in future, instead of chartering the vessels to other concerns as in the past. The five voyages being considered include a Mediterranean trip, a round-the-world voyage, the usual two West Indies cruises, and a coast-to-coast trip

from Vancouver to New York. It is considered not improbable that the Empress of Australia will not only make the coast-to-coast trip but the globe-encircling voyage as well, which would bring har back to Vancouver eventually. The steamer that makes the world cruise will start from New York and finish at Vancouver. Should Mar. 2d. 11h. 03m.—Pressure the Australia not be assigned to come back to the Pacific at all, but

> makes the globe-circling trip. The world voyage will begin in January and take four months, via the Mediterranean, Indian ports, Singapore, Java, China, Japan, Hawaiian Islands and Vancouver. The Mediterranean cruise will also start from New York in January. and be a 70-day trip, finishing at Southampton. The two West Indies trips will be in January and February, about thirty days' duration, port of departure New York, and with new ports of call

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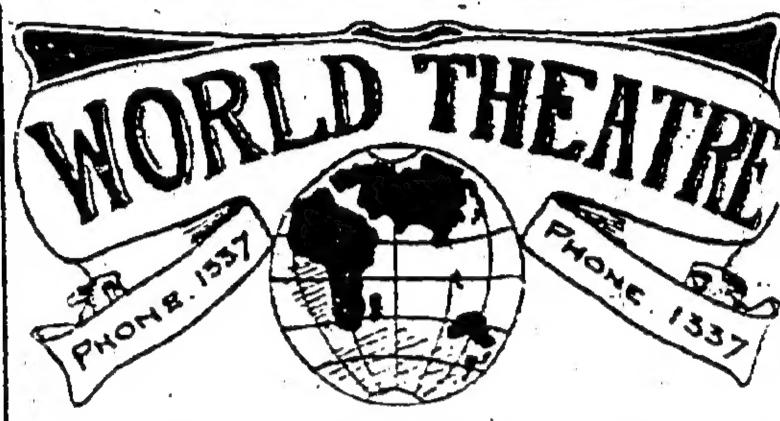
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